IN THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the Abstract on Page 39 with the following rewritten Abstract:

--A connection unit for a computer, which is connectable to a network, is configured such that in response to a receipt by the connection unit of a predetermined wake-up packet via the network, a predetermined signal is generated. Following which, in response to the predetermined signal, the receipt of the predetermined wake-up packet is persistently displayed utilizing a dedicated display. With these means, a user of the computer is enabled to recognize the fact that execution of WOL has been carried out or attempted, without running a specific application (adapted for informing the user of the fact that WOL was executed) on the computer, or even where the computer is not connected to the connection unit.--

PENDING CLAIMS

Claims 1, 3, 4, 7, 8 and 10 have amended as follows:

1. (Amended) A connection unit for use with a computer and connectable to a network, said connection unit comprising:

means, responsive to receipt of a predetermined wake-up packet via said network, for generating a predetermined signal; and

means, responsive to said predetermined signal, for persistently displaying the receipt of said predetermined wake-up packet utilizing a dedicated display.

2. (Unchanged) The connection unit as recited in Claim 1 wherein said computer is not connected to said connection unit.

3. (Amended) The connection unit as recited in Claim 2 further comprises means, responsive to the receipt of said predetermined wake-up packet, for displaying the non-connection of said computer.

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4. (Amended) The connection unit as recited in Claim 1 or 2 wherein said predetermined wake-up packet includes an instruction for causing a power supply of said computer to be remotely turned on.

5. (Unchanged) The connection unit as recited in Claim 1 or 2 wherein said network is a local area network (LAN).

6. (Unchanged) The connection unit as recited in Claim 1 or 2 wherein said displaying means comprises a liquid crystal display (LCD).

7. (Amended) The connection unit as recited in Claim 1 or 2 further comprising means for resetting said means for persistently displaying the receipt of said predetermined wake-up packet.

8. (Amended) A network system comprising:

a network; and

a terminal apparatus connectable to said network, said terminal apparatus including:

   means, responsive to receipt of a predetermined wake-up packet via said network, for generating a predetermined signal; and

   means, responsive to said predetermined signal, for persistently displaying the receipt of said predetermined wake-up packet.

9. (Unchanged) The network system as recited in Claim 8 wherein said terminal apparatus is a portable equipment.

10. (Amended) An apparatus coupled to a network via a communication adapter, said apparatus comprising:

   means, responsive to receipt by said communication adapter of predetermined information via said network, for generating a predetermined signal; and

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means, responsive to said predetermined signal, for persistently displaying the receipt of said predetermined information from said network.

1   11. (Unchanged) A computer system having a computer that changes from a power-save

2   mode or a power-off state to a normal operation mode due to a plurality of factors, said computer

3   system comprising:

4   means for generating a signal indicating occurrence of a predetermined factor among said

5   plurality of factors;

6   means, responsive to said signal indicating the occurrence of said predetermined factor, for

7   persistently displaying the generation of said signal;

8   means for stopping displaying of said displaying means; and

9   means, responsive to a predetermined condition, for resetting said displaying means.

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